Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The very foundation of civilization rests on the family unit; and,

WHEREAS, The key member of the family unit is the mother; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and appropriate for us to pay tribute to mothers and their great contribution to civilized society; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota Mother of the Year for 1988 is Mrs. Martha Clavel:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 20, 1988, as

SOUTH DAKOTA MOTHERS' WEEK

in South Dakota, and I further urge all citizens of our state to take proper notice of this special occasion by paying tribute to the institution of motherhood and mothers.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventeenth Day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE